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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| In re Application of: Schreck et al.                         | ) Group Art Unit: 3743              |
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| Application No.: 09/778,392                                  | ) ) Examiner: Ferko, Kathryn )      |
| Filing Date: February 6, 2001                                |                                     |
| For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR TISSUE REPAIR USING TWO CATHETERS | )<br>)<br>) Customer No. 30452<br>) |

## **AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated August 13, 2003, please make the following changes:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 8 of this paper (Replacement Sheets and Annotated Marked-up Drawing Sheets showing changes are attached hereto).

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 9 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 19 of this paper.

A Petition for a one-month extension of time is also submitted herewith to extend the time for response to on or before December 13, 2003.